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FOR DRAPER FROM THE AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PDIP, MASS, LE, US
SUBJECT: MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO LEBANON

REF: (A) USCINCEUR 161801Z JUN 77, (B) USDAO BEIRUT 160750" JUN 77, (C) BEIRUT 3932, (D) STATE 191729

1. ALTHOUGH I UNDERSTAND TIMING PROBLEMS REF D, I AM DISAPPOINTED THAT DOD TEAM IS NOT COMING. WE HAVE BEEN TELLING GENERAL KHOURY FOR WEEKS THAT HIS TEAM WOULD BE HERE SOON TO WORK OUT DETAILS OF WHAT MATERIEL WE COULD SUPPLY WHEN AND PARTICULARLY TO PREPARE DETAILED TRAINING PLAN. GEN. KHOURY, WHO HAS ALREADY HEARD (PRESUMABLY FROM CPT. NEHME, LEB ARMY REP IN WASHINGTON), THAT TEAM IS NOT COMING, FEELS LET DOWN, TO SAY THE LEAST.

2. SINCE DOD TEAM IS NOT COMING, I FEEL STRONGLY THAT EUCOM TRAINING TEAM WHOSE PREVIOUS SCHEDULE WAS CANCELLED SHOULD ARRIVE ASAP TO WORK OUT TRAINING PLANS. THIS IS AN INDEPENDENT PROBLEM AND LEB ARMY HAS BEEN POSTPONING
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DECISIONS ON TRAINING PROGRAMS OFFERED BY OTHER COUNTRIES FOR WEEKS AWAITING CONSULTATIONS WITH EUCOM EXPERTS. SEE NO NEED TO WAIT FOR MAJ. HOSKINSON'S ARRIVAL SINCE DATT BADOLATO IS ALREADY FULLY FAMILIAR WITH LEB ARMY DESIRES.

3. IN VIEW CANCELLATION OF DOD TEAM VISIT, SUGGEST IT

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WOULD BE USEFUL TO INVITE GENERAL KHOURY TO US DURING NEXT
30 DAYS TO CONSULT WITH HIM ON EQUIPMENT PACKAGE.
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